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In re Application of: Sunami et al. Application No. 10/802,220

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PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS OF CETP INHIBITORS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a reply to office action in the subject application.

- Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
- Other: Handbook of Pharmaceutical Excipients, 4th Edition. London: Pharmaceutical Press, 2003, p. 184-185 and 508-513; References DR-EJ previously submitted with Information Disclosure Statement dated October 8, 2004; Copy of USPTO Stamped Post Card for IDS submitted October 8, 2004
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the total amount indicated below. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed herewith (unless submitted via EFS-Web).

						SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
TIME EXTENSION PETITION FEE				none		\$ 0.00		\$ 0.00	
subtract time extension fee previously paid				none		(\$ 0.00)		(\$ 0.00)	
CLAIM FEE		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADD'L CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADD'L CLAIM FEE
TOTAL		23	MINUS	23	= 0	x 25 =	\$	x 50 =	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT		2	MINUS	3	= 0	x 100 =	\$	x 200 =	\$0.00
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM					+ 180 =	\$	+ 360 =	\$
TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE CHARGED TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT						TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$0.00

- ☑ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216.
 - Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
 - Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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